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ASMARA

REF: (A) ADDIS ABABA 1843; (B) ADDIS ABABA 1844; (C) ADDIS ABABA 1856

- 1. PER REFTEL (C) DIRL DAUA AIRFIELD NOT CERTIFIED FOR C-; AIRCRAFT. WE WOULD BE EXTREMELY RELUCTANT FOR POLITICAL REASONS TO CONSIDER POSSIBLE USE OF C-5 AIRCRAFT FOR FLIGHT INTO ASMARA.
- 2. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF EMBASSY WOULD IDENTIFY MANUFACTURER OF DIRE DAWA GENERATORS, WITH VIEW TO DIVERTING TO COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION ENTIRE OPERATION OF OBTAINING THREE ADDITIONAL GENERATORS AND MOVING DIRE DAWA GENERATORS TO ASMARA. IF GENERATORS ARE AMERICAN- MANUFACTURED, WE MIGHT SUGGEST TO ETHIOPIAN EMBASSY HERE THAT THEY CONTACT MANUFACTURER DIRECTLY AND, IF FEASIBLE, ARRANGE FOR COMMERCIAL TRANSPORTATION. IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE UNDER SUCH ARRANGEMENT TO UTILIZE SAME COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT WHICH WOULD CONFIDENTIAL

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DELIVER NEW GENERATORS TO ASMARA TO TRANSPORT GENERATORS

FROM DIRE DAWA TO ASMARA ASSUMING IT IS EPMG INTENT TO PLACE ALL SIX GENERATORS IN ASMARA.

3. USG HAS NO FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR PARTICIPATING IN ANY TRANSFER OPERATIONS. INGERSOLL

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